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TITLE OF INVENTION
SILICONE FOAM CONTROL COMPOSITIONS

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Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:
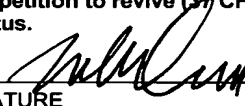
1. ☒ This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371.

2. ☐ This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371.

3. ☐ This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (24) indicated below.

4. ☒ The US has been elected (Article 31).

5. ☒ A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(2))
    a. ☐ is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).
    b. ☒ has been communicated by the International Bureau.
    c. ☐ is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).

6. ☐ An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)).
    a. ☐ is attached hereto.
    b. ☐ has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).

7. ☐ Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(3))
    a. ☐ are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).
    b. ☒ have been communicated by the International Bureau.
    c. ☐ have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.
    d. ☐ have not been made and will not be made.

8. ☐ An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).

9. ☐ An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(4)).

10. ☐ An English language translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(5)).

11. ☒ A copy of the International Preliminary Examination Report (PCT/IPEA/409).

12. ☒ A copy of the International Search Report (PCT/ISA/210).

Items 13 to 23 below concern document(s) or information included:

13. ☒ An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.

14. ☐ An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.

15. ☒ A FIRST preliminary amendment.

16. ☐ A SECOND or SUBSEQUENT preliminary amendment.

17. ☐ A substitute specification.

18. ☐ A power of attorney and/or change of address letter.

19. ☐ A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 37 CFR 1.821 - 1.825.

20. ☐ A second copy of the published International Application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).

21. ☐ A second copy of the English language translation of the International Application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).

22. ☒ Express Mail Label No.   EV496034636US

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24. The following fees are submitted:

			Applicant use	Office use
☒ a) Basic national fee	$300.00	$	$300.00	
☒ b) Examination fee	$200.00	$	$200.00	
☒ c) Search fee	$500.00	$	$500.00	
TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS =	$1000.00	$	$1,000.00	

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Total claims	20 - 20 =	0	x $50.00	$	$0.00
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